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A Fashionable Dressmaking Establishment,
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WHERE SHE IS PREPARED TO MAKE DRESSES of all kinds in the LATEST STYLES. She does her work neatly and promptly, and Satisfaction Guaranteed.
☞ All orders from Madison and surrounding country will receive prompt attention.
Children's Clothing and Plain Sewing, Neatly Executed.
aug3-tf

SCOTT'S
BARBER SHOP,
MAIN STREET, adjoining Welch's Saloon,
Where he is prepared to do all work in his line, and hopes by
STRICT ATTENTION TO BUSINESS,
TO MERIT PUBLIC PATRONAGE.
Ladies' and Children's Hair Cutting A SPECIALTY.
sept30-tf

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HAVING purchased, thoroughly renovated and refurnished this old and favorite house throughout, the patronage of the traveling and resident public is respectfully solicited.
GOOD BOARDING AND COMFORTABLE ROOMS
At REASONABLE PRICES by the DAY or WEEK. The TABLE will be supplied with the best the market affords.
No Chinese Cooks Employed.
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jy15-tf

CRAFT HOTEL,
Main Street.
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sept28-tf

ACCIDENTAL
Saloon, Wine and Billiard PARLORS,
MAIN ST., BET. RAILROAD AND FIRST, WINTERS.
J. C. HULSE, Proprietor.
Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A FINE BILLIARD TABLE HAS JUST BEEN SET UP.
jy15-tf

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Wine and Billiard Parlors,
MAIN STREET, WOODLAND.
ABE MORRIS, - - - Proprietor.
Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
TWO FINE NEW BILLIARD TABLES HAVE JUST BEEN SET UP.
☞ Give me a call. m10-tf

Centennial Saloon,
Main Street, near First,
M. W. McGRATH, - - - Proprietor,
Where can be found a choice supply of
WINES, LIQUORS, LAGER BEER,
And CIGARS of the favorite brands.
Call and see us, and being refreshed, enabled to go on your way rejoicing. jy15-tf

WINE AND BILLIARD PARLORS,
SACKETT'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET, BETWEEN RAILROAD AND FIRST.
CHAFE SWEITZER - - - Proprietor.
THE BEST OF
Wines, Liquors and Cigars,
Always on hand; also a
FIRST-CLASS BILLIARD TABLE.
sept13-tf

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S. W. STOLLINGS, - - - PROPRIETOR,
Adjoining Justice's Office, east of Postoffice,
WOODLAND.
THE BAR is supplied with the best of
Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
☞ GIVE ME A CALL. je9-tf

CLARK'S SALOON,
Main Street, Winters,
NEXT DOOR TO THE
BARBER SHOP,
THE BEST OF
EVERYTHING IN THAT LINE.
I SOLICIT A SHARE OF THE
PUBLIC PATRONAGE.
m81-tf

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LIVERY STABLES,
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FIRST-CLASS TURN-OUTS, MODERATE CHARGES.
SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO BOARDING HORSES.
☞ A Mammoth Corral and Feed Yard attached for the accommodation of Large Teams. oct8

BROWN'S
Livery and Feed Stable,
First and Baker Sts.
HORSES AND CARRIAGES
ON HAND
DAY AND NIGHT.
Horses Boarded by Day or Month AT REASONABLE RATES.
nov6-tf E. BROWN, Prop'r.

Pioneer Drug Store,
MAIN STREET, WINTERS.
THOMAS KEEFE,
HAVING REMOVED TO MY NEW BRICK Store, and re-stocked it with
Fresh Drugs and Medicines,
I would respectfully inform my friends and the public in general, that I am prepared to fill
PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS
with care, NIGHT OR DAY. Parties living at a distance can have their Medicines sent by express C. O. D. I have always on hand
PURE WINES and LIQUORS
FOR MEDICAL USE.
FINE HAVANA CIGARS
ALWAYS ON HAND.
—ALSO—
TEETH EXTRACTED
WITH CARE AND SKILL.
n4-tf

E. A HUMPHREY'S
Saddle and Harness SHOP,
Railroad Street, bet. Abby and Edwards,
WINTERS.
KEEPS a Large and Selected Stock of SADDLES, BRIDLES, HALTERS, BUGGY ROBES, LAP DUSTERS, WHIPS, ETC.
Gloves of all Description constantly on hand.
☞ REPAIRING DONE AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE, AND AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. dec9.1y

MEAT MARKET,
MAIN STREET, bet. Railroad and First,
WINTERS.
JEPTHA JEANS.....Proprietor,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Beef, Pork and Mutton.
ACCOMMODATION.
FOR the accommodation of parties residing at a distance from town, the proprietor has commenced to run a daily
MEAT WAGON,
Which will attend to all orders in his line.
ap7-tf

EDWARD HAYES,
CORNER OF FIRST & ABBY STS.,
Having enlarged his establishment, is now prepared to do all kinds of
Work in His Line
INCLUDING
CARRIAGES, WAGONS,
FARMING MACHINERY,
AND TURNING
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
And he does not propose to be outdone in workmanship, or in fair, honorable dealing.
☞ Horse-shoeing a Specialty. jy15-tf

OWEN WYNNE,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
Informs the Public that he will make Clothing at Greatly Reduced Prices, and a
GOOD FIT GUARANTEED
IN EVERY CASE!

Business Suits,	$30 to $40
Pants,	$6 to $14
Dress Suits to Order,	$35 to $50

Don't fail to call and examine my work before going elsewhere, all my own manufacture.
☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE.
MAIN STREET, IN WINTERS HOTEL, WINTERS.
dec15-tf

Joseph B. Murray,
HOUSE, SIGN AND CARRIAGE PAINTER,
WINTERS, YOLO COUNTY, CAL.
PAPER HANGING, GRAINING AND GLAZING
Promptly Attended to.
feb17-tf

MILK! MILK!
H. JONES
INFORMS the citizens of Winters that he is prepared to supply them with pure FRESH MILK, morning and evening, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a share of their patronage. Orders left at his residence on Grant street, Cox's Addition, will be promptly attended to. dec16-tf

DRAYING.
J. C. Campbell
INFORMS the citizens of Winters that he is prepared with a good team to do Draying, at the shortest notice and on reasonable terms, and solicits their patronage. nov3-tf

C. A. BOEKHOFF,
Dyeing and Cleaning Establishment,
No. 152 K St., bet. 5th and 6th,
SACRAMENTO.
LADIES' Crape, Woolen Shawls, Dresses of every description. Gloves and Feathers Dyed and Cleaned. Also Ladies' and Gentlemen's Clothing Dyed and Cleaned without Shrinkage. nov16-1y

The Honest Farmer.

Happy I count the farmer's life,
Its various round of wholesome toil;
An honest man with loving wife,
And offspring native to the soil.

Thrice happy, surely!—in his breast
Plain wisdom and the trust in God,
His path more straight from east to west
Than politician ever trod.

His gains no loss to other men;
His stalwart blows inflict no wound;
Not busy with his tongue or pen,
He questions truthful sky and ground.

Partner with seasons and the sun,
Nature's co-worker; all his skill
Obedience, ev'n as waters run,
Winds blow, herb, beast their law fulfill.

A vigorous youthhood, clean and bold;
A manly manhood; cheerful age;
His comely children proudly hold
Their parentage best heritage.

Unhealthy work, false, mirth, chicane,
Guilt,—needless woe, and useless strife,—
O cities, vain, inane, insane!—
How happy is the farmer's life!

—*Fraser's Magazine.*

Legend of Chivalry.

ROLAND AND OLIVER.

The city of Vienne is closely besieged, for Duke Girard, its lord, is at feud with his sovereign, Charles the great King of France. Fiercely have they quarrelled over a wager at chess, and Girard must fly from the court, and call around him his kinsmen and vassals. Now they bravely defend the walls round which lies the mighty host of Charles. The twelve peers of France are there, Archbishop Turpin, the wise Duke Naymes, Ganilon the traitor, Lambert of Bourges, Ogier the Dane, Richard of Normandy, Renaud of Montauban, and many another knight renowned in song and story. Great feats of arms are done on either side, but all the land grieves for this war between those that should be at peace.

For two years the siege lasted, during which Charles remained before the city, unable to take it, and unwilling to retreat. The knights and squires were wont to pass much of their time in hunting and in the sports of chivalry. One day Oliver, Duke Girard's nephew, upon whose chin the beard was beginning to grow, had stolen forth from the city alone, without arms or signs of rank, and passing fearlessly through the king's men, essayed his skill among a band of youths who were playing at the quintain. All were astonished at the strength and grace of this young stranger, who far surpassed even Roland, the nephew of Charles, at the game in which, hitherto, he had always borne away the prize. Suddenly there rose a murmur that this was one of the enemy who had found his way into the camp.

"Seize him!" was the cry, and a score of mailed hands were laid on Oliver. He shook them off; he snatched up a tent stake and laid his assailants upon the ground; he sprang upon a swift horse, and flew toward the town. The king's men followed hard and fast, and young Roland was foremost among them all. Already he was close upon the fugitive; he had raised his sword to strike, when he heard a cry from the walls. He looked up, and there was the fair Alda, Oliver's sister, clasping her hands and raising her blue eyes to heaven, as she saw her brother's danger. The arm of Roland dropped to his side. He reined his steed, and let Oliver ride on unharmed. Those who beheld him thought he had been wounded by an arrow from the walls. The shaft had gone to his heart.

Night and day Roland henceforth thought of the fair Alda, and no longer cared to prove his courage in assaults against the city of her kinsmen. There were times of truce, too, when the ladies of Vienna rode freely through the king's camp, and then the youth might feast his eyes on her beauty. The day came when he was made a knight, and before ever he had dinted his bright shield, he sought speech of this lady and said:

"I dare not ask thee to accept me as thy knight; but I trust that all the deeds of my life will prove that there is none more faithful and devoted to thy service."

"Ah, sir," replied the blushing maiden, "I wish well that we might be friends, but this may not be while thy house is at feud with mine."

From that day Roland strove to win his uncle's mind to peace, and in likewise counseled Duke Naymes and the bravest of the peers. But Charles frowned and said bitterly that he expected other things from the new-made knight, and the false Ganilon whispered doubts and sneers, for Ganilon hated Roland ever since the young knight had disabled him in his first tourney. These whispers came to Roland's ear, and made his blood burn to show himself worthy of his spurs and to shame the slanderers.

Before long he had his wish. Now arrayed in rich furs and goodly mantle as beseemed a knight, came Oliver to the king's tent to treat for peace. Before all the barons and knights he told his errand, but the king's brow was stern as he answered:

"Peace Duke Girard shall not have, till he come with a saddle on his back to sue for it."

"Nay, my lord king," answered Oliver, "he were unworthy to be a peer of France if he thus debased himself."

Then spoke the false Ganilon:

"We have here the nephew in our hands. Let us hang him over against the gates, and thus teach the proud uncle to rebel against his king."

The eyes of Roland shone with anger, and he felled the traitor to the earth.

"It were shame to us," he cried, "if a messenger might not come and go freely, and speak all his will!"

"I have done my errand," said Oliver, preparing to depart. "If the king will remove his host, and seek no more to harm us, Duke Girard and all his men will henceforth serve him faithfully in all things. If not, ye know well how we can defend ourselves."

The wily Duke Naymes whispered in his master's ear, counselling him to fair words that might end this unworthy strife But Charles sat silent with the cloud on his brow. Long had he stayed round this rebellious town, and he was not willing to depart till it had yielded to his mercy, or till not a soul within it should be left alive. Then suddenly Oliver turned to Roland, and cried:

"Shall thy uncle and mine be ever at war? Say, young knight, wilt thou meet me, and fight out this quarrel in single combat?"

"Ay, that will I, for France and the king!" answered Roland, eagerly.

"So be it!" said Charles, rising from his seat. "These two are of like age and strength, and it behooves them to win their spurs. Go back to the duke, young sir, and offer him this covenant; that if thou be vanquished, he shall leave the town forthwith; but if my nephew fall, I will raise the seige and let him live in peace."

Willingly all the peers raised their voices in assent, for they were wearied of this long war, and loved not to shed the blood of their countrymen. Thus it was agreed, and the combat was appointed to take place next day on a little island in the stream that rolled between the duke's castle and the camp of the king.

That night King Charles had a troubled dream. He dreamed that a falcon and a hawk fought fiercely together, but before he might know which overcame the other, he awoke and could sleep no more. Anxious, he vowed a pilgrimage to Jerusalem if Roland should have the victory. Meanwhile the fair Alda spent the night on her knees in the chapel of the castle. If Oliver were slain on the morrow she would become a nun. And yet she could not pray that Roland might fall by his hands. She wept, praying on her brother's armor, dreading both victory and defeat.

Now the hour of combat had come. The bank of the river was thronged with spectators. The besieged covered the walls, and high above all sat the Lady Alda with eager eyes. Opposite stood the mailed host of the king. From either bank the young knights were rowed across and left together on the island. Oliver was equipped in rich arms that a good Jew had given him when he was made knight. Roland had the famed sword Durandal, that could not be bent or broken, and the shield, with its red and white quarterings, that the Saracen was to know so well. Courteously they saluted each other, and the fight began forthwith.

Brightly shone the swords in the morning sun. Fiercely closed the young champions for life or death. Loud echoed the blows from the castle walls. The rivets flew from their armor, and splinters of steel fell into the river on either hand. All who beheld marvelled to see such strokes, at each of which it seemed that one of the fighters must fall. Blood and sweat poured down their bodies; they panted for breath; they exhausted their strength, but neither would yield an inch.

It was a good blade that Girard's nephew had from the Jew, but no steel could withstand the matchless Durandal. At last Oliver's sword broke in his hand. He was forced to his knees; already he almost felt the enemy's sword in his heart; he closed his eyes and thought of heaven, and his sister's despairing cry rang in his ears.

But Roland flung away his weapon.

"Rise," he said, "I am the nephew of the King of France. I slay no unarmed men."

Oliver rose to his feet, and they faced each other with naked hands. Then tore up two saplings, and with them struck mighty blows till these were broken. Then they locked their bodies together and wrestled like lions, till both at the same moment came to the ground.

When they stood up breathless, the King saw them unlace their helmets and embrace.

"Ha! is my nephew tired of the fight?" he cried, and Ganilon whispered into his ear that Roland was betraying him for love of that lady upon the castle walls.

"Nay," said the wise Duke Naymes "I will go through the fire or fight a Saracen giant, if Roland be false;" and so spoke all the peers whose own hearts were loyal.

In friendly converse the youths reposed throughout the noon-day heat. Another sword was brought to Oliver from the castle, and a great gold flagon of wine, from which both drank to the Lady Alda and pledged each other.

"Right glad am I," said Oliver, "to have to do with so good a man."

"And sad am I," said Roland, "to grieve so fair a lady."

They aided one another to lace on their helmets, and with fresh strength renewed the battle. The hot sun went down toward the west, but still they fought on, and the two hosts watched them, now with hope and now with fear. Again and again they paused to take breath, then crossed their swords once more. Would the day not see the end of this struggle?

Now it was Roland who lowered his blade.

"Hold!" he said. "I am fevered and weak, and if it please thee, I would fain lie down and rest a time."

"With all my heart," replied Oliver. "It were no honor to vanquish a knight through sickness. Rest and fear not; I myself will watch over thee."

Roland undid his helmet, and stretched himself on the earth. Then Oliver brought a great stone, and put it beneath his head to give him ease, and fanned his face, and fetched water in his own helmet.

"Ah! he yields—he is overcome!" cried the king, and Alda had great pity of the fallen knight.

But the king's nephew stood up and laughed.

"Nay, I did but feign to try thy faith. I could fight on for days and nights, if need were. But, courteous sir, since ye use me thus, I would right willingly call thee brother. And if I live, I will marry no lady but thy fair sister."

"And if I live, she shall marry no man but thee," said Oliver.

The sun went down as they again closed in desperate encounter. All that day had they fought with all their might, and neither could boast of victory. Again the good blades clashed, and the blows resounded over the water. The shades gathered round and hid them from sight. The ancient watchers could see but the sparks struck from helm and hauberk. And at last the darkness came between them, and the sounds of strife ceased.

They had fallen into each other's arms, and vowed lifelong friendship, since neither might prevail over the other as a foe. Roland undertook to make Girard's peace with his uncle. Oliver promised him the hand of his sister. Henceforth, as brothers, they should share wealth, and honor, and love, and never again draw sword, unless it were fighting side by side.

And now a great uproar arose in the camp. News had come that the Saracens were invading France. Gladly now both king and duke heard their nephew's entreaty for peace, and willingly they agreed to turn their arms against the infidels.

The reconciliation was sealed by Roland's betrothal to Alda. All the land rejoiced that this long strife should thus be brought to an end, and with high hearts the united host marched to that great war in which Charles and his twelve peers won such renown. But in friendship and war none were more renowned than Roland and Oliver, who lived together henceforth as brothers, and died together on the field of Roncevalles.

Mrs. Grundy's Husband.

I really do not know—I cannot imagine what we are all coming to. No wonder there are so many tramps and poor wretches selling varnished pictures, five-cent handkerchiefs, bottles of bloom for the feminine complexion, magic oil, etc. The common events of life occasion so many unnecessary expenses that one hardly knows which is the most economical, to live, or die. Mrs. Grundy's cousin expired lately off there in Europe, and she has just received a most extraordinary letter from the widow, who says: Dear Jacob told me upon his death-bed not to let the occurrence inconvenience me, or interfere with any of my arrangements—that it was quite unavoidable on his part, but he begged me not to let it disturb my enjoyment, or shorten my European trip. Dear Jacob always was considerate, and I shall miss him in many ways. I shall have to look after all my luggage myself now, but I always tried to oblige him while living, and I cannot think of disregarding his last request. I have concluded to go on to Paris, where I shall buy the most complete and elegant mourning, such as I know would suit dear Jacob's fastidious taste. I will send his precious remains to you, dear Mehetabel. Please let everything appropriate be done to express the tender appreciation of a devoted wife, yet with a proper regard for economy. Dear Jacob was a prudent man, and discouraged useless expenditure. And dear Mehetabel, try to fill, as far as possible, my place beside his cherished but insensate form. Now I venture to remark—or at least it strikes me, that this is a very astonishing letter, but I was more astonished when Mrs. Grundy informed me that it was my duty to provide a large cross of expensive flowers for the sad occasion. "But," I said, "Angeline wished it all to be done at her expense." Mrs. Grundy surveyed me as if I had been a cockroach or some other unsatisfactory creature, and inquired, "Would you allow our dear cousin to be carried from our house, without offering some appropriate manifestation of our bereavement?"

"It seems to me," I replied, "very inconsistent to scatter lillies and violets, and expensive camelias upon the body of a great ugly man, just as if he were a lovely infant, or tender maiden."

"He is my cousin," was all the reply that remarkable woman vouchsafed; but I think in conjugal dissertations generally, that brevity is much more desirable than the most brilliant loquacity. But I paid fifty dollars for the aforesaid "appropriate manifestation of our bereavement." And once when I told Mrs. Grundy that I did not feel as if I could afford to die, that it was getting to be such an expensive luxury, she said, "O my dear Mr. Grundy, give yourself no uneasiness on that account; only have your life insured freely and liberally, and when the Heavenly mandate is issued for your departure from this world, I will see that you are disposed of in an appropriate manner, and without any foolish display or extravagance. Let your mind be at rest entirely." Mrs. Grundy always speaks to the point, and the point is apt to be a pretty sharp one.

Scarcely a week after the funeral there came a letter from another of Mrs. Grundy's cousins, asking her to allow "our darling Julia" to be married at her "elegant mansion"—the "dear child appreciated so highly the refined and æsthetic adornments of life," so, "our darling Julia" was married at our "elegant mansion," and Mrs. Grundy presented her with a solid silver tea-service, to be carried into a story and a half tenement. That dear child's æsthetic tendencies cost Mrs. Grundy (through the agency of my purse,) just a thousand dollars. "It is fortunate," I ventured to suggest, "that I—I mean that you, Mrs. Grundy, have no daughters to marry off—and if you should decide, after my decease, to undertake the management of another husband, what a tax the wedding expenses will be upon you."

"Really, Mr. Grundy," she replied, "I suppose that you will not have the disgusting and idiotic selfishness to leave your property to any Biblical societies, or insane asylums."

"Would you have my—*your* eight sons, stand up with you at the touching ceremony?" I inquired, mildly.

"I am not ashamed of my eight sons," she rejoined, "although I should prefer *all* their distinguishing traits from the maternal side." I did not continue the conversation, but retired to the [illegible]g-room of Mrs. Grundy's Husband.—*Home Journal.*

Heating a City by Steam.

The Holly system of conveying steam for heating purposes by means of pipes laid underground, for considerable distances, is the invention of Mr. Birdsall Holly, of Lockport, N. Y., and has been put in practical operation in that city under the auspices of a local company formed for that purpose. The plan upon which it is being carried out is briefly as follows: A horizontal boiler, sixteen feet by five feet, is located centrally, and two other boilers are employed as accessories in case of need. Wrought-iron pipes are laid about three feet underground, experience showing that economy will allow one and a-half inch pipe for one thousand feet distance, three-inch pipe for three thousand feet, six-inch pipe for nine thousand feet. The mains and service-pipes are laid the same as the gas-pipes in our streets, but with heat-retaining and moisture-excluding coverings. Right-angles at the corners of the streets, and alternately ascending and descending grades of twenty to forty feet are no impediments to the successful operation of the enterprise. Service-pipe three-fourths of an inch in diameter is found sufficient to warm a large building. About three miles of mains have been laid in Lockport, extending through fifteen streets, supplied with a boiler pressure of thirty pounds to the square inch.

There are now being heated satisfactorily, at an average of seventy degrees, a large school-building containing 105,000 cubic feet of space, the largest hall in the city, and rooms in the same building, making about 150,000 cubic feet of space; and forty large dwellings; and besides there are being run two steam engines, one of them over half a mile from the boiler-house. The total space warmed by one boiler five feet by sixteen feet is over 1,000,000 cubic feet. It is proved that a district of four square miles, or equal to sixteen districts of one-half mile square, can be economically warmed from one central point. The company furnishes the mains, and the consumers pay all expenses from the curb, the cost of apparatus depending upon the style of radiators, &c. Precautions are exercised that the pipes are properly laid, connected and protected. Both pure dry steam for heating purposes, and hot water from condensed steam for laundry purposes are delivered in every dwelling. The apparatus in each dwelling is under ready and perfect control. The condensed steam furnishes to each house an abundant supply of pure and soft water. This plan is claimed to be capable of almost indefinite extension in the service it can be made to do. It is explained that the steam thus supplied in abundant quantities, at a low cost, throughout a city or village, may be applied to practical uses as follows:

To the warming of dwelling-houses; the cooking of food; the washing and drying of clothes; the running of steam engines, and the extinguishment of fires—all more economically, promptly and satisfactorily than by any system applicable to a single building. Mr. Holly, the inventor and patentee, has been for two years engaged in developing this system, and it is claimed its entire success is demonstrated by its practical application in Lockport this winter. A citizen of Buffalo has recently introduced apparatus on the Holly plan, by which is conveyed underground upwards of a thousand feet, and his dwelling heated successfully. By recently introduced steam-heating apparatus in this city, it is proposed to heat from the same boiler two or more detached dwellings; this being an application of the same general principle under which Mr. Holly proposes to heat all the buildings in a city. It is evident that the present methods of house-warming are capable of very great improvement, both to the betterment of the heat supplies and to a wise economy of expenditures of money and labor.

A FOREIGN WITNESS OF GETTYSBURG.—Major I. Scheibert witnessed the battle of Gettysburg from the top of a high tree, in the rear of General Lee's position. He attributes the confederate defeat to the absence of their cavalry, and the fact that no officer had been found to fill Stonewall Jackson's place. Major Scheibert says, in his letter (written from Stuttgart to Southern historical papers), that Lee was uneasy at Gettysburg. "All who saw him on these two occasions, Chancellorsville and Gettysburg, will remember that Lee at Chancellorsville (where I had the honor of being at his side in the brunt of the struggle) was full of calm, quiet self-possession, feeling that he had done his duty to the utmost, and had brought the army into the most favorable position to defeat the hostile host. In the days at Gettysburg this quiet, self-possessed calmness was wanting. Lee was not at his ease, but was riding to and fro, frequently changing his position, making anxious inquiries here and there, and looking careworn. After the shock of the battle was over, he resumed his accustomed calmness, for then he saw clearly, and handled the army with a masterly ability which was peculiar to him. The uneasiness during the days of the battle was contageous to the army, as will appear from the reports of Longstreet, Hood, Heth, and others, and as appeared also to me from the peep I had of the battle-field."

THE amiable and venerable Peter Cooper has issued another of his periodical manifestoes, in which he prescribes for the afflicted condition of the country. In the opinion of the aged philanthropist the true policy is to build two or three Pacific railroads and a lot of canals and other "improvements," a policy which is exceedingly popular among a class of persons who earn their bread by the sweat of other men's brows.

MR. STANLEY'S African explorations seem to have awakened an interest in that continent among the colored people. Four black missionaries are preparing to leave the Fisk University for the cradle of their race, and the Southern colored colleges generally are awakening to the importance of endeavoring to Christianize that great undeveloped country.

THE WINTERS ADVOCATE.

SATURDAY.....MARCH 16, 1878.

Local Agents.

GEORGE P. MOTT is sole Agent for the Advocate in Sacramento, who will receive and receipt for all advertisements and subscriptions from this date.

CALENDAR FOR MARCH.

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Patterson, Republican, has been elected U. S. Senator from New Hampshire by a majority of one.

The Baptist denomination in the United States has a membership of 2,020,000. The increase has been greatly in Massachusetts and Virginia. where they were in early times the most persecuted.

OLD Deacon Pilkins said to himself: "Falkstaff asks, "What's honor?" as though it was hard to tell. But let my wife sit behind another woman in church, and she'll tell what's on her in less than two minutes.

Poverty is considered a crime in Massachusetts, the Code declaring that any citizen who has accepted alms from the public authorities or any charitable institution during the year preceding an election shall not be allowed to vote.

A mammoth icicle weighing fully two tons and a half, in the Chollar-Norcross shaft, Virginia City, is causing great fear to miners. It is hanging from the nose of a bob 250 feet from the surface, and should it fall would fall 1700 feet, crushing everything in its way.

Senator Cockerill, of Missouri, late a Confederate Brigadier General, announces his intention to present an amendment to the Constitution forever barring all schemes of secession, for the payment of the Confederate debt, or for the payment of pensions of Confederate soldiers.

A clergyman and one of his elderly parishioners were walking home from church one frosty day when the old gentleman slipped and fell flat on his back. The minister, looking at him a moment, and being assured he was not hurt, said to him, "Friend, sinners stand on slippery places."

The old genteman looked up, as if to assure himself of the fact, and said, "I see they do; but I can't"

It has been demonstrated that the eyes in the top of the potato produces more and finer potatoes than those lower down or at the bottom. Agriculturists in Germany cut the potato horizontally instead of vertically and use the lower part for cattle feed. It is stated that from tubers cut vertically only 5 tons per acre were produced; from whole potatoes 7½ tons, and from those cut horizontally 9¾ tons.

Purim, a festival instituted by Mordecai, in the reign of Ahasuerus King of Persia, to commemorate the deliverance of the Jews from the designs of Haman, an enemy of that people and Chief Counsellor of the King, who desired their total destruction, but was foiled by Queen Esther and her uncle Mordecai, and was ordered to be celebrated by the Jews in all coming time, on the 14th and 15th days of the month Adar, (19th and 20th March in our calendar.) This festival occurs on Tuesday and Wednesday next.

TOLERABLE WELL.—"Why, howdy do, Mrs. Crippins; are all the folks pretty well?" "Oh, yes, tolerably so thank you. Father is laid up with his side again, and mother's rheumatism has got so bad she hasn't been able to get down stairs for a week, and Martha Jane had another fit yesterday, and Billy cut his foot with hatchet, and Tom can't speak above a whisper and Eliza has a gathering in her ear again, and the baby has had four spells of croup and my husband can hardly work with his sore eyes, and I thought I'd die last night with a sick headache, and we're all about as well as common. How's your folks"?

General Items.

Rio Vista Enterprise: The hunters are killing large numbers of beavers now that the high water has driven them out of their holes. Beaver tails are considered a rare delicacy by Rio Vista connoiseurs.

Dixon Tribune: One of our farmers received a bundle of nursery stuff which had been shipped from Oakland by way of Sacramento just before the break and the total freight charges were $30, or nearly four times what they would formerly have been.

The Catholic immigration movement of Minnesota has been in operation less than two years, but during that time has settled over one thousand families on some of the best lands in the State.

Four hundred German immigrants, with their wives and families have arrived in Taylor county, Texas, from Ohio. They bought 100,000 acres of land at $1 50 per acre cash, and have abundance of capital.

The lady of the newly appointed Viceroy of the Dominion of Canada, the Duke of Manchester, is an American lady.

Ninety-eight widows under 20 years of age are living in Franklin county, Ky., of which Frankfort is the county seat.

Eighteen hundred revolutionary ladies have been flogged, and whole cities of the province of Kowno have been banished to Siberia. This is Russia in the year of our Lord 1878.

One hundred and forty-five thousand dollars has been taken in the past few months from Whitehall gold mines in Spottsylvania, Virginia.

A saloon keeper in Richmond, Virginia, was arrested and fined $49 50 and costs by a Justice of the Peace for not registering one glass of beer he sold, and the Supreme Court has affirmed the action of the Justice. It is estimated that this registration of drinks will add $525,000 to the State Treasury every year.

There are three brothers named Pridgen, residing in the Kaintuck section of Pender county, North Carolina, whose farms adjoin each other who have fifty children; two having seventeen each and the other sixteen. A gentleman at a party in that neighborhood was introduced to thirty Miss Pridgens during the evening.

Silver lodes have been discovered near Hot Springs, Tennessee.

The telephone company have 35 lines in operation in New York City.

A piece of ordnance which took eight months in construction has been completed at South Boston. It is 24 feet long, 4 feet 8 inches in diameter at the breach and 12 inch rifle bore. It will throw a projectile weighing 750 pounds, with a 140 pound charge of powder seven miles at a low elevation with force enough to penetrate at a mile and a half a 15 inch iron plate of armor.

Missouri Items.

Fulton Callaway, Co March 1st: Some months ago Joseph Brown of Carmi, Ill., committed suicide; twenty days after his father; Elijah Brown, followed suit with a shotgun, after having dug his own grave, and last Friday night Mrs, Brown took laudunum and finished up the Brown family.

A month ago there were four paying saloons in Plattsburg, since then the saloons have closed and every citizen of the town except seventeen out of a population of 4,000, have donned the Murphy badge.

A new settler in California writes: They are beginning to back down on that wonderful climate of California. They first six months they pray for rain, and the next six months they run from the floods.

Married: John Holmer to Nannie E Miller; John D Underwood to Susan B Baker; H G Mc Kee, to Mary M Gibbs. all of New Bloomfield.

The Ralls Co. Record March 1st. Over 600 emigrants passed through Kansas City, a few says ago, intending to settle in the state of Kansas.

In 1861 George Mitchell, now of Saline Co. was keeping a Jewelry store in Hannibal. In the Fall of that year his store was burglarized and some $8,000 dollars worth of watches and jewelry was stolen. Last Monday Mr, Mitchell saw an account in a St. Louis paper, that some 30 watches and a large amount of jewelry had been unearthed in the rear of the store Mr. M. had occupied in Hannibal, which proved to be that stolen 17 years before from his store.

Good silver ore has been found on the Lotz farm in Reynolds county.

A farmer name Rightmore, of Warren township, Marion county, killed seventeen partridges at one shot the other day.

Canton Press, March 1st; Mrs. W. A. Biggs left yesterday morning for Dixon, California, much to the regret of a large circle of friends.

There is more new land cleared and being made ready for cultivation the coming season south and west of town for some distance, than there has been for years previous, old land is being sown in meadow.

Six hundred Murphy blue ribbonites in Canton.

A fair observing friend has been casting up the chances matrimonial in Canton, and reports 52 widows, with only 12 widowers and four old bachelors. No report from the old maid's.

Fifty-eight years ago, the late Mr. George Cason buried $1,650 in gold on his farm near Glasgow, Mo., and it remained undisturbed until about a month ago, when his wife, who was the only other person cognizant of its existence, had it exhumed.

The Hannibal Clipper says that city is now furnishing food and fuel to 120 men, women and children in destitute circumstances, besides costing the city $30 a month to send off tramps and other poor people from the city.

The amount of mortgages in Potter county foots up $2,304,000, while the entire value of real estate in the county is only $4,500,000.

Married.—H.D. Brown, of Clark county to Martha S. Good, of Lewis county. Elder Jas. Lillard, jr, to Kate Ellis of Lewis county. In Luray. J. W. Murphy to Nettie Lawson.

A CALIFORNIA ORCHARD.—A correspondent of the Los Angles Star writes of the magnificent orchard belonging to the Wolskills, a ranch, of the Solano Wolfskill family:

This enterprising family own and cultivate over one hundred and fifty acres of land, almost exclusively set in citrus fruits. They have over 2,000 bearing orange trees, seedlings, many of which are nearly forty years old. However, the great majority are about twenty years from the seed—about 1,500 budded, of the most approved home and foreign varieties, and 2,500 lemons, about one half of which are budded on orange stocks; over 3,500 bearing limes, besides almost any variety of deciduous fruit in existence, and apple, plums, peach, American and Japanese persimmon, chyremoes (custard fruit), and St. John pear trees over fifty years old that average twenty bushels of fruit to the tree annually. They have also a variety of nuts, such as almonds, peacans (bearing), walnuts, etc., with an endless variety of ornamental trees—four famous varieties of cypress, flowering evergreens, tube roses, magnolias, japonicas, etc., all of which, with numerous other species, even to the modest little violet, are elegantly arranged. We first saw our first ficus elastica (India rubber plant), as well as pitisporum undulatum—a flowering beauty—in Louis Wolfskill's gardens. He has about 500 banana plants, many of which are bearing, that is, in their season (summer and autumn). Yet some are ripening all the while. His nurseries are extensive and various."

MARRIED.

WHITE—ROSE—In Woodland, March 11, 1878, J. C. White, of Colusa county, to Annie E Rose, of Solano county.

BORN.

WILGUS—Near Winters, March 12, 1878, to J. H. Wilgus and wife a daughter, weighing 10 pounds.

DIED.

HYDEN—In Utah City, Mendocino county, March 8, 1878, after an illness of three hours, Mary D. Hyden, aged 42 years, wife of Rev. J. C. Hyden, pastor of the M. E. Church South in that city. Mrs. H. was a native of Hawkins county, Tennessee.

A NEW WAY TO RETAIN SUBSCRIBERS.—An indignant subscriber to a New Jersey paper went into the office a few days ago and ordered his paper stopped, because he differed with the editor in his views of subsoiling fence rails. The editor conceded the man's right to stop his paper, and remarked, coolly, as he looked over his list:

"Do you know Jim Sowders, down at Hardscrabble?'

"Very well,' said the man.

"Well, he stopped his paper last week because he thought a farmer was a blamed fool who diden't know that timothy was a good thing to graft on huckleberry bushes, and he died in less than four hours'.

"Lord! is that so? said the astonished Granger.'

'Yes; and you know old George Erickson, down on Eagle Creek?'

"Well, I've heard of him.'

"Well; said the editor gravely, 'he stopped his paper because I said he was the happy father of twins and congratulated him on his success so late in life. He fell dead within twenty minutes. There's lots of similar cases but it don't matter. I'll just cross your name off, though you don't look strong, and there's a bad color about your nose.'

"See here. Mr. Editor!' said the subscriber, looking somewhat alarmed, 'I believe I'll just keep on another year, because I always did like your paper; and come to think about it, you're a young man, and some allowance orter be made," and he departed, satisfied that he had made a narrow escape from death

It will be seen by a notice elsewhere that the painting business heretofore carried on by Freund & Hollingsworth, will in future be conducted by Mr. Freund. We have seen some specimens of handy work in his line and commend him to the patronage of the citizens of Madison and vicinity.

And now comes the Woodland Democrat and hears of fears by farmers that the grain will be so rank that it will lodge, and again that there will be so much of it that the market will necessarily be low.

Ninety-eight widows under twenty years of age are living in Franklin county, Ky, of which Frankford is the county seat.

NEW THIS WEEK.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Freund & Hollingsworth, Painters at Madison, has been dissolved, and that F C Freund will continue the business from this date in his own name.

F. A FREUND.

Madison, Yolo county, Cal March 5th.
mr16 4 w

LOST.

A SMALL PACKAGE with stamps on it, was lost between Winters and Campbell Marshall's ranch, addressed to Mrs Campbell Marshall. The party finding the package will confer a favor by leaving the same at the store of
mr16 BLUM & CO., Winters.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Yolo county until March 29th, A. D., 1878 at 10 o'clock A. M., for cleaning and repairing the Putah Canyon Road. For plans and specifications bidders are referred to Supervisor Sims, who will be at Winters on March 26th, at 10 a. m., to go over the road with those proposing to bid and show them the work and repairs necessary. The contract price will be paid in warrants drawn on the Contingent Fund at par. A bond in double the amount of the contract price must accompany bids All bids must be in bulk. The Board reserve the right to reject any or all bids; work to be completed in 60 days.

D. M BURNS,
March 14, 1878. Clerk of Board of Supervisors
mr16 td

Occidental Hotel,

CORNER ABBY AND RAILROAD STREETS, WINTERS, CAL.

D. P. EDWARDS, : Proprietor

HAVING TAKEN POSSESSION OF

This Favorite Hotel

I AM NOW PREPARED TO OFFER THE TRAVELING AND RESIDENT PUBLIC,

First-Class Board.

LARGE AND WELL FURNISHED ROOMS BY THE

DAY OR WEEK,

The Table

WILL BE AT ALL TIMES SUPPLIED WITH THE BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS.

CHOICE WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS AT THE BAR.

No Chinese Cooks Employed.
feb23-tf

WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

Parker House

RAILROAD STREET, BET. MAIN AND RUSSELL, WINTERS.

FIRST-CLASS

Board and Lodging

—BY THE—

DAY OR WEEK,

AT REASONABLE RATES.

AT THE BAR

CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND THE CHOICEST WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.
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HARLING, LOWRY & CO.,

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES,

And in fact every ning that is to be found in a well regulated General Merchandise Store.

PURCHASERS OF

Wool and Grain.
Jan8-tf

F. B. CHANDLER,

DEALER IN

LUMBER,

AND ALL KINDS OF

BUILDING MATERIAL,

Elmira, Solano Co., Winters, Yolo Co., and Madison, Yolo Co. California.

ALL OUR STOCK PURCHASED DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURERS. nov24-tf

New Tinware AND STOVE STORE.

T. W. WILLIS,

HAVING TAKEN THE STORE ON MAIN street, Winters, recently occupied by James Donnelly, is prepared to manufacture all kinds of

TINWARE, WATER TANKS.

And furnish,

PIPES, PUMPS,

And all articles in his line of business, to order. Also will keep on hand a general assortment of

HOUSEKEEPING ARTICLES,

He solicits a share of public patronage. my19-t

HAULING.

I DESIRE TO NOTIFY MY FRIENDS AND THE

Public in General

THAT I AM PREPARED TO DO HAULING

BY THE DAY OR LOAD.

THREE LOADS FOR ONE DOLLAR.

PLOWING AT REASONABLE RATES

Hauling by the Day, : $3 50.

feb2-tf J. K. BALDWIN.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP of the undersigned in the Blacksmithing business, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

T. L. BROCK.
L. F. CANTERBURY.

Winters, Feb. 16, 1878.

JOHN H. PRITCHARD having purchased the interest of L. F. Canterbury in the above business it will be continued by the undersigned under the firm name of BROCK & PRITCHARD, who will execute all orders in their line with promptness and dispatch.

T. H. BROCK,
J. H. PRITCHARD.

Winters, Feb. 8th, 1878.
feb 23-4 w.

LOT FOR SALE.

LOT NO. 16, IN BLOCK 1, CORNER LOT, IN the town of Winters, for sale at a reasonable price. Apply at the Winters ADVOCATE office.
feb16-tf

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

A HOUSE AND LOT Situated in the town of Madison, is offered for sale cheap for cash For further particulars enquire of
jan8-tf L. W. HILLIKER, Madison.

WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

Blum & Co.,

DEALERS IN

CLOTHING AND DRYGOODS.

BOOTS AND SHOES
STATIONERY,
SCHOOL BOOKS,
HARDWARE

Fall and Winter GOODS.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

TINWARE,
CROCKERY
GROCERIES.
PROVISIONS
DRUGS,
PAINTS,
OILS,
TOBACCO

CIGARS, WINES AND LIQUORS:

GRAIN BAGS.

All of which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET PRICES.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

ALSO AGENTS FOR

FARMING IMPLEMENTS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

AND

Averill's Celebrated Chemical Paint.

Corner Main and Railroad Avenue

WINTERS.
nov6-tf

Pioneer Drug Store,

MAIN STREET, WINTERS, CAL.

THOMAS KEEFE

HAVING REMOVED TO MY

NEW BRICK STORE

AND RE-STOCKED IT WITH

Fresh Drugs and Medicines.

I would respectfully inform my friends and the Public in general, that I am prepared to fill

PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS

With care NIGHT OR DAY. Parties living at a distance can have their Medicines sent by express C. O. D. I have also on hand Pure

WINES AND LIQUORS

FOR MEDICAL USE

FINE HAVANA CIGARS,

TEETH EXTRACTED

—WITH—

CARE AND SKILL.

All orders received by mail or express will be promptly attended to. jan26 tf

MADISON MEAT MARKET,

MAIN STREET, MADISON.

FRED. N. HENRICH, Prop.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

BEEF, PORK, MUTTON.

AND ALL KINDS OF

SAUSAGES.

HAVE COMMENCED TO RUN

THREE WAGONS DAILY.

A CORRECT SCALES for weighing all Cattle, Hay, Grain, etc. my26 tf

GREAT INDUCEMENTS

AT THE

C. O. D. Grocery Store,

No. 336 K Street, bet. Eighth and Ninth, SACRAMENTO, Cal.

SIGN OF THE BIG TEA KETTLE.

DEALERS IN Groceries, Provisions, California Green and Dried Fruits, Nuts, Honey, Maple Sugar, Etc.

Orders promptly filled and goods delivered Free of Charge.
aug25-3m SEAWARD & WILLIAMSON.

FARM FOR SALE.

EIGHTY acres of fine farming land, with House, barn, and other improvements, situated at Buckeye, 5 miles from Winters. For particulars, apply to
feb1-tf. P. J. McGRATH, Winters.

NOTICE.

AFTER JANUARY 15, 1878, whole Lots in the Masonic Cemetery will be sold at $20 and half Lots $10.

By order of the
TRUSTEES.
jan19-1m [For the Winters Advocate.

WOODLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

1856. 21 YEARS. 1877.

Experience.

King's Woodland Art Gallery,

OVER PORTER & CO.'S STORE,

MAIN STREET, WOODLAND.

If you want your own or Children's Pictures made in latest style,

GO TO KING'S.

ALL NEGATIVES ARE PRESERVED

DUPLICATES MAY BE HAD AT ANY TIME.

Have over 1,000 negatives on hand, all made in the 12 months I have been in Woodland, not counting enlarged work of which we have done a large number; neither counting innumerable Tintypes, which are plentifully strewed all over this part of the county; giving a good evidence that King has been appreciated, and for which very many favors he returns very sincere and grateful thanks and assuring those of his friends who may continue to patronize him that by every effort and attention to business to merit their favors.

I have just made a very great change in skylight room, also added to an already good stock of instruments and appliances for the best work, making one of the best appointed Galleries in the State. sept22-tf

WOODLAND

VARIETY STORE,

OPPOSITE COLLEGE,

Main Street, Woodland, Cal.

A FULL STOCK OF

STATIONERY,

SCHOOL BOOKS, PICTURES,

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,

Mirrors.
Brackets and Pockets,
Bird Cages,
Abelone Jewelry,
Guns, Pistols,
Ammunition,
Tobacco.
Cigars, Nuts,
Candies

AN ENDLESS

Variety of Toys.

CATHOLIC BOOKS AND PICTURES.

A SPECIALITY.

All goods selected with care, and will be sold Cheap for Cash. Please give me a call.
aug4-tf GEO. C. ST. LOUIS.

L. Machefert,

Jewelry Store,

Craft Hotel Building

WOODLAND, CAL.

CLOCKS, WATCHES, CHAINS, LADIES GOLD SETS,

SOLID AND PLATED WARE

GOLD PENS, SPECTACLES,

And everything in the Jewelry line

AGENCY OF THE

Florence Sewing Machine.
dec8-tf

J. B. POCKMAN,

FIRST STREET

Livery Stables,

(REAR OF FREEMAN & CO'S STORE.)

WOODLAND, Cal.

FIRST CLASS TURN-OUTS, MODERATE CHARGES.

SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO BOARDING HORSES.

A Mammoth Corral and Feed Yard attached for the Accommodation of Large Teams. oct3.

St. Nicholas Saloon,

Woodland.

JOHN MOORE, : PROPRIETOR

THE FINEST BRANDS OF

WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Call on me and then Go By.

This sign hangs high and binders none. Refresh, then pay, and travel on.
sept22-tf

Dr. J. N. Hodgen,

DENTIST,

Teeth Extracted without Pain.

Full Sets Teeth on Gold plate, $100

OFFICE—Over Thomas & Bidwell's Grocery Store, near the Bank WOODLAND, Cal.
dec9-tf

Kelsey's Nurseries,

OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA.

LARGELY STOCKED

The present Season with everything in the

NURSERY LINE.

FRUIT TREES,

ALL KINDS,

FLOWERING TREES AND PLANTS,

Shrubs, Roses, Bulbs,

Garden Seeds, Etc.

Send for Catalogues, Free.

dec2 W. P. KELSEY, Proprietor.

MUSIC TEACHING.

MRS. S. L. FASSETT, having had over ten years experience in Teaching on the PIANO and ORGAN, offers her services to persons desirous of acquiring a perfect knowledge of this delightful accomplishment.

Terms Reasonable; Payments easy, and Satisfaction Guaranteed. Give me a call before engaging elsewhere. nov2-tf

THE WINTERS ADVOCATE.

NOTICE.

DAMOCLES LODGE NO. 33, K. OF P.

THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF DAMOCLES LODGE, No 33, K. of P. take place every 1st and 3rd THURSDAYS of each month, at 7 o'clock, sharp.

By the Order of
EDWARD FISHER, C. C.
W. P. WOMACK. K. of R. and S nov18-tf.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mail closes daily at the Post Office at Winters for Madison and Capay at 11:30 o'clock, A. M. daily.

For Sacramento, North and East, and San Francisco, South and West, daily at 3 o'clock, P. M.

OFFICE HOURS.

Post Office open from 7 o'clock A. M. to 8 P. M. and 7 o'clock, P. M. to 9 P. M.

ON SUNDAYS.

Open from 8 o'clock A. M. to 10 o'clock A. M.
dec1 LORENZO MOODY, Postmaster.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

SABBATH SERVICES.—Rev. Mr. Culton pastor, will preach at the C. P. Church, every Sunday, morning and evening, at the usual hours. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings. Choir meeting Saturday evenings.

Services at the M. E. Church South, Rev. J. K. Price, pastor, first and third Sundays of the month, morning and evening. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings. Services at Davisville second and fourth Sundays of the month.

Services at the Christian Church, second and fourth Sundays by Elder Dunton, and third Sunday of the month by Elder Smith of the Baptist Church.

MURDER.—On Friday night, 8th instant, a German, named Chris. Weinmiller, who lived alone on his ranch near Sweany creek, in Solano county, about one mile north of Joseph McMurtry's ranch, was murdered by some unknown party or parties. It is conjectured the murderer followed Weinmiller from Dixon, supposing he had a large sum of money in his possession, as he had sold his wheat at that place for $1,000 and had drawn a portion of the money. The murderer went to the house and ordered some wine, which Mr. W. sold by the gallon. On a table in the house there were three empty tumblers which had been used, and led to the belief that there were two concerned in the murder. After drinking in the room they proceeded with their victim to the cellar for more wine, and struck him, while stooping to draw it, with a hatchet, fracturing his skull and then with a sharp butcher knife cut his throat from ear to ear. On Sunday morning last a man named J. W. Smith who was fishing in the creek was induced by the action of a dog who came to him, to follow him to the house, where he found the body of the murdered man in the cellar as above noted. It appears that Mr. W. had only drawn $300 of his money at Dixon, all but $20 or $25 dollars of which he had loaned to a neighbor of his. A Coroner's inquest was held and a verdict rendered of murder of by some person or persons unknown. The property of the murdered man is stated to be worth some $8,000. He was a steady, sober man, aged about 50 years, and we are told has no relative in this State, save a neice residing in Dixon. No clue or trace of the murderers has been thus far discovered. From the fact of a chest being broken open and articles of clothing missing it is suspected the crime was committed by tramps.

THE RAILROAD BRIDGE.—Operations commenced on repairing the Railroad bridge, partly carried away by the freshet on Sunday week, on Monday, and on Tuesday the pile driver had closed the gap and the track was laid in time for the noon train to cross and commence, running regular to Madison, on Wednesday eleven car loads of wheat went forward from Winters. There are some nine hundred tons in the warehouse at this point to go forward as well as a large quantity from the warehouse at Madison.

CANYON ROAD.— Attention of Road makers is called to an advertisement in another column calling for proposals to repair the Putah Canyon road. For plans and specifications, bidders are referred to Supervisor Sims, who will be in Winters, March 26th, to go over the road with parties desiring to contract for doing the work.

Early cucumbers are beginning to find their way to the San Francisco market from this section.

Brevities.

Attention is called elsewhere to the loss of a package addressed to Mrs. Campbell Marshall which the finder will confer a favor by leaving at the store of Blum & Co.

It is stated that the Vallejo route between Sacramento and Davisville cannot be placed in running order under six weeks.

Three members of the Board of Supervisors of Yolo county have been appointed to meet a like number from the Solano county Board of Supervisors in regard to the matter of repairing the Stevenson bridge. They will meet we understand on Tuesday next.

A letter received in town last week from Mr. London, who went East last Fall, states his intention of returning with his family to Winters at an early date.

W. A. Hall, formerly of Winters and lately of Colusa, is on a visit to town, looking better than could be expected after the soaking floods of that region.

Fish weighing five to seven pounds, are being taken from Putali creek daily by some of our expert anglers. They are said to be of excellent flavor.

The county printing for the ensuing year was awarded to the Woodland Democrat on Monday last by the Board of Supervisors, at $500 for the year.

Fruit raisers of Pleasant Valley are expecting large crops and good prices for their early fruit.

Rev. J. S. B. Crawford, arrived in town yesterday from San Joaquin county via Denverton.

John W. Danalds and Dick Ely started from town for Texas on Thursday last.

A grand ball is to come off at Sackett's Hall on the 1st of April. Full particulars of arrangements, etc., will appear in our next issue.

Wheat is beginning to go forward at the rate of over a hundred tons daily since the railroad bridge over the creek has been again put in running order.

Large sales of wheat have been made during the week, at this point.

A tin shop and shoe shop and harness shop is a want spoken of at Black's station in this county.

The roads in this vicinity are rapidly drying up and with the balmy spring weather we are having everything looks lovelier than ever including the fair sex.

At the close of business last Friday evening in San Francisco wheat was quoted at $1.82½@ $1.87½ for shipping, and $1.90 for milling; barley $1.40.

DELIBERATE BUT UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE.—On Thursday last some persons from this place were walking along the banks of the creek about two miles from town. Happening to look downward they espied a moving object hanging from the branches of a tree. On approaching nearer to their horror they discovered the object to be a woman suspended by a stout strip of flannel to one of the topmost limbs. To rush to her assistance and cut her down was but the work of a moment. The face was already blackened, the tongue protruding and the features distorted, and for a time it was feared that life was extinct. The proper measures for resuscitation were restored to, however, and in a short time her rescuers had the satisfaction of seeing her return to consciousness. She was a plain featured, sharp visaged woman of apparently forty years of age and very shabbily dressed. She assigned no reason for the rash act, refusing even to give her name, and after giving her word that she would make no further attempt upon her life, she was allowed to depart, a sadder if not a wiser woman. Such is life; who can tell the trials and tribulations to which that unfortunate woman had been subjected; the suffering she must have endured unseen, perhaps unknown, to any save one—who sees all things. Let us draw the vail of charity over the motive which prompted her to the deed. The cord which she employed to "shuffle off this mortal coil," stills remains where it was tied as an example perhaps, or a future temptation for others, who can tell which?

SOLD.—J. Terrill, set out his fishing tackle in the creek Tuesday night and early Wednesday morning secured a fine fish, amply sufficient for a hearty family breakfast. Having another set of tackle set out some distance down creek he hung his fish on the branch of a tree and proceeded to his second set from which he obtained two more. Having more than a sufficient supply he generously donated the two to parties near at hand, and proceeded to carry home his first catch, but on reaching the tree found that some generous friend had helped himself to fish No. 1, and John was compelled to make a fishless breakfast, and will be likely to "look out for No. 1" in the future.

Poverty is considereda a crime in Massachusette, the Code declarring that any citzen who has accepted alms from the public authorits or any chntable institutio during the year preceding an election shall not be allowed to vote.

On account of an increase of business, Dr. Harding, Dentist, will be compelled to remain at his Suisun office at least half of his time. His charges will be as low as first-class work can possibly be done for. Teeth extracted without pain by the use of Liquid Nitrous Oxide, the only perfectly safe anæsthetic. Will be at

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As I shall leave Woodland shortly, I take this means of informing my friends that they may take advantage of this time to get good photographs of themselves and families. I have also reduced my prices so low that everybody can accommodate themselves with a supply, and as I am even taking more than former pains with my work, it will be to the advantage of all to come in and secure such bargains as will not soon again be offered: Cabinets, four dollars per dozen; card photos., two dollars per dozen. This reduction includes all children over four years of age, or those who understand what they sit or stand for, and all others, except babies, for which prices remain as heretofore Also, remember, it is for 60 days from Jan. 15th, 1878. KING, Photographer.

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"MARRIAGE," says a great novelist, "is promotion." Yes, by brevet. New uniform, with the same old salary.

SEVERAL enterprising New England firms have already begun the manufacture of Turco-Russian war relics.

WE see that the Empress of India sent King Humbert a garter. Only one? And King Humbert has a peg leg, then?

WEALTH doesn't come with temperance. In spite of the Murphy movement, money is as steadfastly tight as ever it was.

"LOVE lightens labor." Tell you, but a man feels that when he has a loving wife to carry in the wood for the up-stairs stove.

"SOME of Boston's steam engines have been put upon runners." That's strange. Out here we always put the runners before the engines.

A MASS meeting of the boys of the Burlington grammar schools was held yesterday afternoon to discuss measures for demonetizing the flat ruler.

A KEOKUK negro was fined twenty dollars the other day for butting a white man off a flat car and into the middle of next week. So much for Buckingham.

THE weary tramp who climbs up on the top rail of a barbed wire fence to rest, gets down as abruptly as he got up deliberately, and curses such a timberless State as Iowa.

"TIME is fleeting," says the poet. "Not to a man in the penitentiary," says the New York *Mail*. No, it's when the old fellow pads his wings with thirty day notes that he makes the dust fly.

IT took the teller of the Bank of North America eight years to steal $100,000. The old fogy. It is singular that the bank should have employed a man who evidently understood his business so little.

IT is when a boy finds himself, without any solicitation on his part, assigned to a position between the ruler and his teacher's knee, that he feels the imperative necessity, or at least the desirability, of ordering the immediate mobilization of all his forces.

REMEMBER the poor. The aid societies are soliciting all the clothing they can get to provide for the poor during this terribly cold weather, and surely you can spare your last summer's straw hat and linen vest for a good cause. Give, in the name of sweet charity.

SILVER is said to be the only currency in Mexico, and Minister Foster writes that when you go to the bank for money, "a porter must be taken along to carry the coin." That may be very true in Mexico, but here, a community of about two thousand families might club together and hire one porter for the neighborhood, and then not be able to keep him busy two days in the week.

GREECE must feel very much like the Burlington man who got up one night to kick his hired girl's young man out of the kitchen because he thought he was staying rather late, and on reaching the base of operations, found himself confronted by four burglars, with clubs, revolvers, dark lanterns, and quantum suff. of chloroform. He almost wished he hadn't made up his mind to interfere.

A TRAVELER in western Iowa while riding along came to a large sign which implored him to "Look out for the locomotive." He accordingly rode down the track for a better view, and while he was obligingly "looking out" for it, it came along. He saw it, but he had to sit in the ditch and wait until a freight train of thirty-seven cars passed by, before he could get back to the other piece of his horse.

THE Colorado beetle commission wants twenty-five thousand dollars more to complete its report. As this valuable and important commission has already succeeded in perfecting a plan by which the Colorado beetle can be exterminated at a cost of three dollars and twenty-five cents per beetle, and is confident that it can, if it has the time and means, reduce the cost to about a dollar and a half, we think they ought to have the money.

THE Iowa Central train south was pausing at Eddyville yesterday. On the side track a freight train was maneuvering. The engineer was a little mad and came charging down the track with a dozen box cars to pick up a couple of K. & D. empties. Just before the cars came together with a crash that fairly lifted them off the track a brakeman, who laughed as he shouted "Let 'em *go!*" stepped in, made the coupling, came out and airily signalled the engineer to go ahead, while everybody on the waiting passenger train was breathless with anxiety while the young fellow was between the cars. Two charming young ladies watched him from the coach window. "Oh, dear!" exclaimed one of them, "I should hate to be a brakeman." "So should I," was the languid response, "just see how dirty he gets his hands." And there was silence in the car for the space of half an hour.

KISSING A PRINCESS.—The gardens attached to the residence of the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh, in Malta, have been recently and rather suddenly closed to the public. The reason for taking this course is thus explained. The other day the Princess Victoria Milita, aged just thirteen months, was out in the garden in care of the nurse, who for the moment had placed the child on the ground. At the same time there chanced to be strolling by a charity school of little girls, under charge of a sister of some religious order. Suddenly, before either nurse or nun could guess what was about to be accomplished, one of the little charity girls darted out of the ranks, and snatching up the infant princess in her arms, imprinted on the august baby brow a fond and sounding kiss. The horror of all present at the perpetration of so dastardly and impious an outrage may be readily pictured; though the telegrams do not give any minute details of the punishment awarded the child for the commission of the atrocity. The results, however, has been, not the discharge of the nurse, but the exclusion of the public from the orange groves of St. Antonio.—*London Mayfair.*

MR. LOVER tells a good story of an Irishman giving the password at the battle of Fauntenoy, at which the great Saxe was Marshal. Colonel—"The password is Saxe; now don't forget it, Pat." Pat—"Sacks! faith I will not. Wasn't my father a miller?" "Who goes there?" cried the sentinel, after he had arrived at his post. Pat was as wise as an owl, and in a sort of whispered howl, replied: "Bags, yer honor!"

THE devil never yet tempted a man whom he found judiciously employed.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

Senate.

BILLS INTRODUCED.—With amendments the Senate bill known as the Pacific Railroad Sinking Fund bill.

With an amendment, Senate bill to repeal the charter of the National Capital Life Insurance Company.

To prohibit members of Congress from becoming sureties on certain bonds.

A substitute for the Senate bill authorizing citizens of Colorado, Nevada and the Territories to fell and remove timber on the public domain for mining and domestic purposes

Relating to cable telegraphy.

BILLS PASSED.—House bill changing the times for holding terms of District Court for the district of West Virginia.

The Senate bill to authorize the Worthington and Sioux Falls Railroad Company to extend its road into the Territory of Dakota to the village of Sioux Falls.

The "Long Bond bill" was again discussed at length and amended. The interest was fixed at 4 per cent. Adopted as amended.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED.—A joint resolution relative to Chinese immigration.

Directing the Secretary of the Treasury to transmit to the Senate the estimate of the amount required to enable the Government to coin both gold and silver at the mint at Denver; and also what time will be required to put said mint in condition to coin gold and silver.

RESOLUTION PASSED.—The House joint resolution providing for issuing arms and ammunition to Idaho, under the act of July 3, 1876.

PETITION.—In favor of the appointment of a Commission on the subject of the alcoholic liquor traffic.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Sargent called up his joint resolution in regard to Chinese immigration, and made a speech thereon.

House.

BILLS INTRODUCED.—For the exchange of silver coins of the United States for United States Notes.

Authorizing the sale of the Military Reservation of Fort Yuma, California.

To authorize the preparation fine or standard silver bars of a value of $100 and $1,000, the deposit of the same in the United States Treasury and the issuance of certificates thereon.

Appropriating $250,000 for a fire-proof building for a National Museum.

To reorganize the army, to consolidate certain of its staff departments, and to reduce the cost of its support.

To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to classify the various Navy Yards, and determine the character of work to be done thereat.

A bill providing for an appropriation of $1,583,445 deficiencies for the service of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.

BILLS PASSED.—The Senate bill pensioning all soldiers of the war of 1812 who served fourteen days, including those stricken from the rolls for disloyalty, was reached. Stephens moved to pass it, and though Joyce objected to restoring the names of disloyalists, it was passed—217 to 21.

The bill supplementary to the Act to carry into effect the convention between the United States and China, concluded in 1858, and to give the Court of Claims the jurisdiction in certain cases. [The bill authorizes any person or persons having any claim against the balance of the fund designated as the Chinese Indemnity Fund, for losses sustained by the plunder of the bark *Caldera*, to commence within twelve months next, after the passage of this Act, proceedings in the United States Court of Claims.]

The Fortification Appropriation bill.

For the erection of a public building at Kansas City.

The Deficiency Appropriation bill. It appropriates $6,500 for temporary Treasury clerks, $20,000 for investigation of land trespasses, and a few other sums.

RESOLUTIONS OFFERED.—Directing the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to ascertain the amount of money necessary to complete the public buildings now being erected and to build others that may be necessary, and to inquire into the expediency of issuing bonds of the United States to any amount necessary to erect all such buildings.

Reciting that the Union Pacific and Central Pacific Railway Companies owe the United States $28,000,000 of accrued interest on bonds guaranteed by the United States, and that the earnings of said Companies have been consumed by dividends declared on the capital stock in violation of their charters, and directing the Judiciary Committee to report whether it is expedient to enact such laws as will prohibit the payment of dividends on said stock until their indebtedness to the United States is liquidated.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.—Directing the Secretary of the Treasury to inform the House whether he has authorized the sale of any bonds for outstanding legal tender notes at par, adding the current New York premium on gold and commission for selling; or whether he has authorized the sale of such bonds for legal tender notes or any other terms than above stated; and if so the number and amount of proceeds of such bonds, and who were employed as agents to dispose of them.

Authorizing the Committee on Expenditure in the several departments of the Government to employ each a clerk or expert pending investigation, and also authorizing the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads to employ two experts.

Calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for a copy of the report of the special agent charged with the examination of the charges against Samuel McCollough, Superintendent of Public Buildings at San Francisco.

MISCELLANEOUS.—The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Diplomatic Appropriation bill, which appropriates $1,036,930—a reduction of $102,000 from last year, and $177,000 from the State Department's estimate.

The salaries of Ministers to Great Britain, France, Germany and Russia were fixed at $15,000 each; to Spain, Austria, Italy, Brazil, Mexico, Japan and China, at $10,000 each; to Chile and Peru, at $6,000 each; to Sweden, Norway, Turkey, Venezuela, Hawaiian Islands, Argentine Republic and the United States of Columbia, $7,500 each; to Bolivia, $5,000; Guatemala, Costa Rica, Honduras, Salvador and Nicarauga—one Minister—$10,000; Hayti, $5,000; Liberia, $3,500.

Singleton, a member of the Committee on Appropriations, explaining that the Committee had reduced the salaries of four principal ministers abroad from $17,500 to $15,000, an amount amply sufficient, considering work to be done by them. He referred to the fact that the Consul of London received $2 a head for every American seaman shipped at that port, and every dollar of that tax upon commerce was used at the Consulate, and not one conveyed into the Treasury. That was what made the position of Consul so much sought after.

Before coming to any action the House adjourned.

Washington Notes.

WILLETT'S production of the Confederate archives in the House and the defeat of the bill to pay the Southern contractors at the opening of the war, will save the Government $475,000.

A WASHINGTON dispatch says that while President Hayes has not changed his opinion, expressed early in the month of January, in favor of such negotiations as is proposed by the resolution reported by the Committee on Education and Labor on the Chinese question, he has abandoned his intention of sending in a special message upon the subject. It is believed he will sign any bill looking to a restriction of Chinese immigration to this country which is not extreme in character, as he believes that its growth or continuance is an evil, but favors a prior modification of the treaty.

THE Secretary of the Treasury has been strongly urged to buy silver bullion with gold, but this he is not inclined to do, believing it injudicious to use the surplus gold in the Treasury for this purpose. It is claimed that he can save eight per cent. by paying gold for the bullion needed to coin the new silver dollar. One offer to pay $3,000, gold, for new silver dollars has been made to the Treasury Department, and a number of other smaller ones of like character are on file. Under the general Coinage Act, silver dollars can only be exchanged for gold coin at the mint. Secretary Sherman has announced his intention of using the new dollars to buy bullion.

THE Secretary of the Interior, on appeal, affirmed the decision of the Commissioner of the General Land Office in the matter of the survey of the California private land claim of Arroyo de la Laguna, Williams et al., confirmee.

THE long mail route from Fort Worth to Yuma has gone at last to J. T. Chester.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[Quotations, unless otherwise specified, represent receivers' prices in lots, marketed on wharf or from store.]

FLOUR.—The shipments in February were as follows:

	1877.		1876.	
To—	Bbls.	Value.	Bbls.	Value.
England	17,109	$99,156	28,296	$163,695
China	6,410	37,766	11,668	63,222
Japan	604	4,109	590	3,978
Panama	541	3,284	829	5,069
Central America	2,668	17,664	4,050	24,289
Honolulu	896	5,770	1,208	7,191
Tahiti	825	5,050	547	3,313
Mexico	1	5	2,563	13,067
Victoria	230	1,951	209	1,119
Marquesas Island	15	84	29	155
Australia	1,530	8,550		
South America			2,851	15,823
Russian Asia	705	4,170	200	1,237
Flint Island			20	110
Total	31,614	$187,559	53,035	$302,264

The market is weak; concessions frequent. The following quotations are understood to be for consigned lots, or round lots from the mill, payable in gold coin; for jobbers' rates, silver, add about 50c.

Superfine, $4 25@$4 75; shipping extras, $5 00@$5 25; standard extras, $5 50@$5 75; Oregon standard extras, $5 25@$5 50.

WHEAT.—The war news is calmer, and the Eastern question, it seems, has but little effect upon the market now, though the Russian supply is not let loose as yet, and English dealers look for large increased stocks from that section so soon as peace is permanently declared. This condition of affairs causes English operators to figure on a closer line of operations—necessities only—until values touch bottom, which it would seem is much lower than present rates. With us the movement is light. Present rates are as annexed, with soft tendency; urgent wants paid 10 cts per ctl higher since last report, but their wants were small—at best insignificant. Mills have much difficulty in obtaining choice clean Wheat.

We quote good to choice milling, $1 90@$2 00; superfine, $1 85@$1 90; shipping, $1 85@$1 90; low grades, $1 75@$1 80.

BARLEY.—The season to sell old Barley is drawing to a close fast, and there are many anxious sellers, particularly weevil Barley. The stock of the latter is considerable; constitutes about half of our stocks. The demand is expected to increase with fine, settled weather, but higher values would be impossible—not looked for. The prevailing impression is that the best policy to be pursued is that which tends to send supplies toward the consumptive outlet, even where losses are netted.

We quote bay feed, $1 25@$1 30; coast feed, $1 22½@$1 27½ (all gold); brewing nominal—$1 40@$1 50.

CORN.—The Mexican demand is light; home demand light; supplies here light, but the visible supply is large, and so soon as settled weather on the coast sets in, admitting steamers to land, we look for large deliveries; the demand will also increase, but Barley is relatively cheaper feed, and Corn is now high, and a decline of 10@20c per ctl would not be surprising; the only alternative is withholding supplies, or further large Mexican orders—neither of which is probable.

We quote large yellow, $1 55@$1 60; large white, $1 90; small round yellow, $1 80@$1 85.

OATS.—Large city holders quietly cut under, and cause lower prices to rule. There is no trade further than light trade wants; deliveries light.

We quote milling at $1 60@$1 65; good to choice feed, $1 45@$1 55; ordinary feed, $1 35@$1 40.

WOOL.—We excerpt the following from the Prices Current. The receipts of fall Wool run very late this season. We give the monthly deliveries as follows:

Months.	Bales.
August	5,427
September	13,697
October	27,509
November	14,428
December	3,178
January	1,054
February	800
Totals	66,120

Average, 330—21,158,400 lbs.

The foregoing statement, accurately compiled, it will be seen puts our fall clip one million pounds more than statements sent out earlier in the season; this statement shows the movement at San Francisco only, and it is a known fact that there are several lots in the interior yet to be marketed. Later on, when full interior reports reach us, we will give the State total fall clip accurately.

We quote: southern, burry, and slightly burry, 10½@12c.

HOPS.—The stock of choice Hops is very light and firmly held in view of the continuance of the Eastern demand. Poor grades are plenty, and sales are effected in small lots at low rates.

We quote Oregon, 6c; Territory, 6@7c; California, 7@8c.

DAIRY PRODUCE.—The *San Vicente* brought up 251 packages from Cayucos and 117 packages from San Simeon. These, together with supplies from the North, give us large stocks. Trade is not large and prices eased off for all grades, and for average qualities decidedly lower. The pasturage is positively rank, if not good, not sufficient sun to give tone, vigor and substance to the grasses; hence the Butter generally is soft, lacking in flavor and many other prerequisites. The undertone is decidedly weak, but there is hope that trade will greatly improve with settled weather. Cheese is accumulating. Eggs—the movement in and out is large.

We quote: California choice fresh roll Butter, 25c; fair to good roll, 22@24c; pickled roll, 16@18c; firkin, fair to good, 16@18c; Cheese—California, 15@17c; Western Cheese, 18@20c ₱ lb; California Eggs, 25@27c ₱ doz; Eastern, 20@23c.

PROVISIONS.—California plain Hams, 11@11½c; Eastern Hams, 11@12c; California Lard, 10@12c; Eastern do, 12@13c for all styles of package; California Bacon, 12½@14c; Eastern Bacon, 13@13½c; California Smoked Beef, $9 00@$11 00 ₱ bbl; Beef, $8 50@$10 50 ₱ bbl; hf bbl, $4 50@$6 00; Pork, ₱ bbl, $23 00@$24 00.

SALT AND SMOKED FISH.—Salmon in bbl, $9 00@$11 00; do hf bbl, $5 00@$6 00; all as to quality, where caught and grade of fish. Salmon, 1-lb tins, $1 50@$1 55; do 2-lb tins, $3 15@$3 20; do 2½-lb tins, $3 50; smoked, 6@7c ₱ lb; Cod, Pacific, bdls, 5½@6c ₱ lb; Cod, in cases, 6@6½c; Cod, boneless, Eastern, 9@10c ₱ lb; Georges' Cod, 8@9c ₱ lb; Mackerel, hf bbls, No. 1, $10 00@$13 00; do, hf bbls, No. 2, $8 00@$10 00; do, kits, No. 1, $2 25@$2 50; do, kits, No. 2, $2 00@$2 25.

POULTRY.—We quote: Turkeys, dressed, ₱ lb, 20@22½c; Turkeys, alive, 18@20c; Hens, ₱ doz, $7 50@$8 50; Roosters, ₱ doz, $8 50@$10 00; Broilers, ₱ doz, $7 00@$8 00; Ducks, ₱ doz, $9 00@$10 00; Geese, ₱ pair, $2 50.

FRUIT, GREEN.—The supply of Apples is light; market tones strong. Dealers having choice stock about make their own price

We quote: Apples, ₱ box, $1 00@$2 50; Bananas, $1 50@$4 00 ₱ bunch; Limes, Mexican, $10 00@$12 50; Limes, California, $2 00@$4 00 ₱ M; Loreto Oranges, $30 00.

FRUIT, DRIED.—We quote: Apples, quartered, at 4@6c ₱ lb; Apples, sliced, 6@7½c; Peaches, 7@9c; Plums, California, pitted, 14@17c; Plums, Oregon, 11@14c; Raisins, $1 00@$2 00.

POTATOES AND ONIONS.—Potatoes—moderate receipts, and a light supply in sight gives a tone of strength to the market. Onions in larger receipt, and cheaper generally; poor quality.

We quote: Potatoes, Early Rose, ₱ 100 lbs, $1 90@$2 10; other grades, $1 50@$2 00; Oregon, ₱ 100 lbs, $1 60@$1 80. Onions, Silver Skins, ₱ 100 lbs, $1 00@$1 25.

BEANS.—The market is easier; supply, of course, is small, but there is a selling movement. The 1877 and the balance of 1876 crop is now pushing toward this market in view of a good crop outlook for 1878.

We quote as follows (gold coin): Bayo, $4 00@$4 25; small White, $2 75@$3 00; Pea, $3 00@$3 25; Pink, $4 00; Red, ——; large Butter, $2 90@$3 00; medium do, $2 65@$2 85; Limas, $3 75@$4 00; Pink, $3 80@$4 00.

NUTS.—Almonds, 8c for hard and 14@16c for soft shell; Brazil, 12½@14c; Filberts, 12½@15c; Hickory, 10@11c; Pecan, 10@14c; Chile Walnuts, 10@11c; California Walnuts 8@10c; California Peanuts, 5@7c ₱ lb; Cocoanuts, $5 00@$8 00 ₱ hundred.

MEATS AND LIVE STOCK.—Beef, choice grades, holds firm; fair to good grades, plenty. Mutton easier; Lambs firm; the latter begins to arrive little more freely.

We quote: Beef, first quality, 8@9c; second do, 7@7½c; third do, 5@6½c; Veal, small, 7@8c; do large, 5½@6c; Mutton, 7@8c; Lamb, 10@15c; Hogs, as in quality, 6@7c ₱ lb.

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.—Dry Hides, over 16 lbs, 15c; Dry Hides, Kip and Calf, 12½@13c; wet salted, 7½@8c. Plump, heavy Steer, 8½@9c. Sheep Skins, dull, 50@90cas to quality. Tallow, 6@7c.

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